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We have no time to waste.

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It's official: President Trump has set a record for White House staff turnover in the first year.

According to *The Washington Post*, 19 officials—or more than 3 out of every 10 staff members—left or changed positions.

Yet the Environmental Protection Agency is *still* led by a man who built his political career by attacking clean air and clean water rules.

Now, EPA Administrator Scott Pruitt is dedicating that career to tearing these protections down and dismantling the EPA from the inside. *That's not his job.*

We don't have to stand for it. Take action today, and join the chorus calling for Pruitt's dismissal.

We have no time to waste. He is putting *both* our health and our tax dollars in jeopardy.

After all, we already know about his efforts to delay or all-out eliminate the limits on mercury pollution, ozone pollution, and climate pollution that were put in place to protect us and our loved ones—among countless other attacks.

But as he rolls back America's most crucial clean air and clean water protections, he's surrounding himself with a cloud of secrecy.

He has spent more than \$30,000 of taxpayer money to ensure nobody at EPA overhears his conversations with the President or the oil and gas industry executives he routinely hosts in his office. **His paranoia-driven expenses include:**

- **\$25,000 for a custom-built soundproof phone booth in his office**
- \$3,000 to a security firm to search his office for hidden listening devices
- \$3,390 for sophisticated fingerprint-scanning locks for his office
- \$2,495 for the fingerprint scanning locks—*again*.

Why split the fingerprint scanning locks payment in two?
Because then he conveniently stays under the \$3,500 threshold

above which expenditures are publicly disclosed. We only know about these last three hefty price tags because the Post obtained details about the purchases from an EPA staffer.

So what is Pruitt trying to hide? The almost-daily meetings with industry executives uncovered by the Freedom of Information Act?

Americans shouldn't have to foot the bill to cover the costs of Pruitt's paranoia while he unravels our bedrock environmental protections and puts us at risk.

[Take action today, and protect American families by helping us reach our goal of one million Americans demanding that Pruitt get sent packing.](#)

Thank you for standing with us,

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